

City of Bronson
Regular Council Meeting
July 10, 2017

Mayor Cole called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Roll Call: Present: Cole, Cox, Earl
Absent: McConn, Kenny

Councilman Earl moved to excuse Vice-Mayor McConn and Councilman Kenny from the meeting. Seconded by Councilwoman Cox. Motion carried.

Public Comment – Branch County Sheriff Pollack gave an update on the activities of the Branch County Sheriff's Department.

Presentation – Proclamation of the Mayor – Bronson Wrestling Team – Manager Mersman read a Proclamation presented by Mayor Cole to the Bronson High School Wrestling Team for their outstanding season. Council congratulated the team and coaches for their accomplishments for this year.

Consent Agenda – Councilman Earl moved to approve the consent agenda including payment of invoices totaling \$21,489.39. Seconded by Councilwoman Cox. Motion carried.

New Business – Repeal Traffic Control Order No. 35 – Prohibited Parking on N. Matteson Street – Councilwoman Cox moved to repeal Traffic Control Order No. 35. Seconded by Councilman Earl. Motion carried.

Staff Comments – Police Chief Johnson introduced the City's newest police officer Ronald Leggitt. He said he was replacing Scott Jaye who took a position with the sheriff's department.

City Manager Comments – Manager Mersman told Council the renovation of the Memorial Park was near completion. He said the work would be done before Polish Festival. He also told Council there was a survey on the City's website concerning the Farmer's Market. He said the property where the market is currently being held has been sold and in the future there will be a need to relocate it. He said the DDA was seeking input from the community on possible future locations.

Council Comments – Council again congratulated the high school wrestling team. Council wished everyone a safe and good Polish Festival. They also commented on how good the Memorial Park renovations looked.

Adjourn – Councilwoman Cox moved to adjourn. Seconded by Councilman Earl. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Karen A. Smith, City Clerk